

**2002 pay 2003 BUDGET CALENDAR**

**LAST POSSIBLE DATE TO TAKE THE FOLLOWING ACTION. Some dates may fall on a Saturday, Sunday or Holiday. Please adjust your calendar accordingly. When two or more readings are taken before final adoption, the final reading date should be used as the adoption date for publication purposes.**

	<u>3rd Class Cities, Towns, and Conservancy Districts</u>	<u>Libraries</u>	<u>Townships</u>	<u>Schools</u>	<u>Counties</u>
<u>LAST</u> date for adoption	Sept. 20, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-5)	Sept. 20, 2002 (IC 20-14-3-10(b)(2))	Sept. 20, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-5(a))	Sept. 20, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-5(a))	Sept. 20, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-5(a))
	Objecting petitions filed within (7) days of public hearing (IC 6-1.1-17-5(b))	Objecting petition filed within (7) days of public hearing (IC 6-1.1-17-5(b))	Objecting petition filed within (7) days of public hearing (IC 6-1.1-17-5(b))	Objecting petition filed within (7) days of public hearing (IC 6-1.1-17-5(b))	Objecting petition filed within (7) days of public hearing (IC 6-1.1-17-5(b))
<u>LAST</u> date for public hearing (10 days prior to above date)	Sept. 10, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-5(a))	Sept. 10, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-5(a))	Sept. 10, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-5(a))	Sept. 10, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-5(a))	Sept. 10, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-5(a))
<u>LAST</u> date for first publication (10 days prior to public hearing)	Aug. 31, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-3)	Aug. 31, 2002 (IC 20-4-3-10(b)(1))	Aug. 31, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-3)	Aug. 31, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-3)	Aug. 31, 2002 (IC 6-1.1-17-3)
<u>LAST</u> date for second publication (At least three days before public hearing)	Sept. 7, 2002 (IC 5-3-1-2)	Sept. 7, 2002 (IC 5-3-1-2)	Sept. 7, 2002 (IC 5-3-1-2)	Sept. 7, 2002 (IC 5-3-1-2)	Sept. 7, 2002 (IC 5-3-1-2)

**Excessive levy appeals must be filed with the Indianapolis office of the Department of Local Government Finance before September 20, 2002.**

File two copies of the complete set of all budget forms with the County Auditor within two days after adoption.

County Tax Adjustment Board Meetings - Begin on September 22 (September 22nd or first business day after September 22) through October 1 (except Consolidated County or Counties with 2nd Class Cities). Department of Local Government Finance Certification - February 15, 2003.

Conservancy Districts	"Same time and in the same manner and with such notices ... to the preparation of budgets by municipalities." (I.C. 13-3-3-74)
Solid Waste Districts	"Not later than September 20, with notice given by the same Board" (I.C. 6-1.1-17.5(a))
Consolidated City and Second Class Cities	"... City and county budget ordinances adopted ... not later than the last meeting of the City-County Council in September (I.C. 6-1.1-17-5(a)(2)) or ***Second Class Cities not later than September 30. Second Class Cities (I.C. 6-1.1-17-5(a)(3))."
Airport Authority Districts:	"Same time and same manner as the taxing entity that established such district." (I.C. 8-22-3-23)
Fire Protection Districts/Territories:	"Same time and in the same manner and with such notices ... to the preparation of budgets by municipalities." (I.C. 36-8-11-18) (Department of Local Government Finance' recommendation)
Public Libraries Cities:	If no resolution is adopted, the provisions of I.C. 20-14-3-10(b) are in effect (previous year's budget). If no ordinance is adopted, the provisions of I.C. 36-4-7-11 are in effect (most recent annual appropriation).
Township Schools:	Advertise and adopt according to Township schedule above.
Water districts	Advertise and adopt according to third class city schedule above.